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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION

Attorney Docket No.: 28944/38522

MS RCE
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

This is a Request for Continued Examination under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 of the following application:

Serial No. : 10/687,205
Filing Date : October 16, 2003
Inventor(s) : Bernard Branchereau
Title : ROTARY SHAFT DYNAMIC SEAL PROVIDED WITH AN ANGULAR ENCODER DEVICE, A DEVICE INCLUDING SUCH A SEAL, AND A METHOD OF FABRICATING SUCH A SEAL
Art Unit : 3679
Examiner : E. E. Peavey

1. Submission required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114

- Previously submitted
 Please enter and consider the amendment(s)/reply under 37 C.F.R. § 1.116 previously filed September 6, 2005.
- Enclosed
- Amendment/Reply
 Affidavit(s)/Declaration(s)
 Information disclosure statement
 Other: _____

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**2. Miscellaneous**

- This is a petition for a 2-month extension of time.
- Suspension of action on the above-identified application is requested under C.F.R. § 1.103(c) for a period of _____ months.
(Suspension period not to exceed 3 months; fee under 37. C.F.R. § 1.17(l) required).
- Other: _____

3. Fees

<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	RCE fee required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(e)	\$ <u>790.00</u>
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Extension of time fee under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(a)	\$ <u>450.00</u>
<input type="checkbox"/>	Other: _____	\$ _____

4. Method of Payment of Fees

- Enclosed is a check in the amount of: \$ 1,240.00
- Charge Deposit Account No. 13-2855 in the amount of: \$ _____
A copy of this transmittal is enclosed.

Please direct all future communications to Marshall, Gerstein & Borun LLP at the address below.

Dated: November 2, 2005

Respectfully submitted,

MARSHALL, GERSTEIN & BORUN LLP

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